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Inventor: Theodore A. HEILMAN, Jr.**Title:** METHOD AND SYSTEM OF NEGOTIATING A TRANSACTION
OVER A NETWORK

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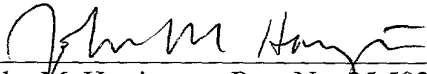
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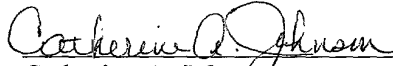
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